

# Purpose of the Rail Corridor Study

**The Delaware Department of Transportation is developing a Statewide Rail-to-Trail/ Rail-with-Trail Facility Master Plan. DelDOT previously prepared a cursory study of abandoned rail lines for bicycle and pedestrian use and identified 11 railroad corridors to be studied further.**

**The purpose of this study is to review railroad corridors to identify abandoned, inactive, and publicly owned active rail corridor segments that are potentially suitable for shared use Rail-to-Trail (RTT) and/or Rail-with-Trail (RWT) facilities.**

**Additionally, this study is evaluating the interconnectivity of these potential RTT/ RWT corridors with the existing and proposed statewide trail systems, greenways, and pedestrian/ bicycle networks.**



**Delaware Rail-to-Trail/ Rail-with-Trail Facility Master Plan**

